

Commercial and Financial Matters.

When gold was 140, eggs were 30 cents a dozen. Now gold is only 127 1/2, and eggs only 30 cents a dozen. But perhaps the...

General's bias that last year brought \$3 a piece, can now be bought for \$1.50; whereas, it will cost a woman from \$15 to \$20 to compare...

A Pomeranian bank manager has committed suicide because the institution he controlled has failed. The cause of the collapse seems to have been the discounting of doubtful bills, and the...

M. Thiers is said to have left the enormous fortune of \$2,700,000, and if this really be the fact, there will be a good deal of wonderment as to...

A Letter Delivered After Six Months. The United States treasury a few days ago received advice from the agent of the United States...

The iron production per inhabitant in 1876 was, according to the report of the British Iron and Steel Institute, 42 1/2 lb in Great Britain, 22 1/2 lb in Germany, 17 1/2 lb in Sweden, 12 1/2 lb in the United States, 10 1/2 lb in Belgium, 9 1/2 lb in France, 5 1/2 lb in Austria, 4 1/2 lb in Russia, and 3 1/2 lb in the United States.

The Color Line in Vegetables. A company has recently been formed in this city having for its object the furnishing of fresh fruit and vegetables to the people of San Francisco. The idea is to supply the place of the Chinaman now engaged in this business, and give employment to white men instead. It is proposed to deliver fruit and vegetables every morning in baskets at the same prices charged by the Chinaman, with the advantage offered by the latter of fresh fruit and vegetables picked, sold and delivered by white men.

The Good Result of Stock Gambling. [From the New York Public.] The price of gold has fallen to 127 1/2. It is now lower than it was on the day the Legal Tender note was passed, and has so diminished that all the gold at command constitutes a reserve which can be made available at a trifling sacrifice. It is an ill wind that blows against the speculator, and the result of the great speculations in stocks have compelled them to contribute largely to cause a decline in gold. It is known that a rising sixty day exchange exceeding two millions up to last Saturday, and perfect confidence in the gold market, has been borrowed and marketed in order to force London capitalists and banks to carry part of the load of stocks held in New York. The bills must be met in December, but the immediate effect of the operations, added to the shipments of gold and other proceeds, is to grab the premium on gold downward.

Steam Facilities to Brazil. [By Telegraph to the N. Y. Tribune.] Washington, Oct. 11.—Mr. Frederick Fraley, of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, has had an interview with Mr. Everts, the Secretary of State, in regard to the establishment of direct postal and commercial intercourse with Brazil. He said that the Brazilian market opens a large demand for manufactured articles, but that owing to the absence of proper facilities the trade is carried on through English houses. American manufacturers are receiving orders from English firms for goods to be furnished to Brazilian markets, the amount of which is estimated at 10 per cent on their own account. Secretary Everts said that it is the imperative duty of this government to advance the commercial and manufacturing interests of the country by a more liberal policy respecting facilities for the carrying of our goods to be accomplished by the establishment of ocean postal routes under the auspices and fostering care of the government.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY. OFFICE NEW ORLEANS DEMOCRAT. Thursday Evening, Oct. 18, 1877. NEW ORLEANS CLEARING HOUSE.

Table with columns for Date, Clearings, Balances, and various financial metrics. Includes entries for Oct 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and weekly totals.

collaterals 10 1/2; All mortgages 10 1/2, and second grade do nominal. Gold opened at 127 1/2, against 127 1/2 at New York, and closed at 127 1/2. The opening rates in both markets, including 10 1/2 during the interim at New York. The sales summed up \$19,800, embracing \$5000 at 10 1/2, \$5000 at 10 1/2, \$1500 at 10 1/2, and \$1500 at 10 1/2.

Table titled 'NEW ORLEANS STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.' listing various bonds and securities with their respective prices and quantities.

Table titled 'OFFICE NEW ORLEANS DEMOCRAT.' listing various stocks and bonds with their prices.

AMERICAN STANDARD OF CLASSIFICATION. General Exchange quotations, quotations. Inferior 1/2 1/2, Low Ordinary 1/2 1/2, Ordinary 1/2 1/2, Strict Ordinary 1/2 1/2, Strict Low Middle 1/2 1/2, Strict Middle 1/2 1/2, Strict High Middle 1/2 1/2, Good Middle 1/2 1/2, Middling Fair 1/2 1/2.

PROPOSALS FOR LEVEE WORK. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, State of Louisiana, New Orleans, Oct. 17, 1877. Sealed proposals will be received at this office until SATURDAY, October 27, at 12 m., for the construction of the following levees:

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SOL LION. H. DREYFUS. SOL LION & CO., 112 Baronne Street. Friends, Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. We respectfully invite you to the opening of our beautiful and well-selected stock of Boots and Shoes!

Consisting of the Finest Ladies' and Children's Button Boots, Bais, Ties, Slippers, etc. Gentlemen's Fine Congress, Prince Albert, Wire Screwed, Etc. The Latest Style of BOOTS, SHOES, BROGANS, MUSSETTS, FLOW SHOES, MALLOFFS, Etc. We guarantee satisfaction or no sale. All we ask is to give us a call.

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FOR USE IN WELL GRADED ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS. Independent Spelling Book 20, Independent First Reader 20, Independent Second Reader 20, Independent Third Reader 20, Independent Fourth Reader 20, Independent Fifth Reader 20, Independent Sixth Reader 20.

FOR SALE AT ANNEKED PRICES BY THE FOLLOWING DEALERS: GEO. ELLIS, No. 7 Decatur street. W. E. SELLERS, 62 Canal street. HEBERT & CO., 59 Chartres.

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WIRE SIGNS. I am prepared to execute, in the neatest styles, all kinds of WIRE SIGNS AND SCREENS. For Windows and Doors, at prices that DEFY COMPETITION. Hereafter all orders for Wire Frames have been sent North at a great expense for freight. My SIGNS are MORE DURABLE AND CHEAPER than those constructed at the North. All orders promptly attended to.

C. A. SCHELIN, 655 MAGAZINE ST. CHAS. LACOUQUE, 58 ST. CHARLES STREET. Wholesale and Retail Liquor Dealer, 58 ST. CHARLES STREET, Near Gravier street, New Orleans, La. Sole Agent For Goldsborough, Foster & Co.'s celebrated BAKER BEE, and W. W. Johnson & Co.'s OLD BLEND BOURBON. Both of above Whiskeys are distilled expressly for C. LACOUQUE, and also have on hand numerous other brands of fine goods.

CANCELLATION OF BONDS. (STATE OF LOUISIANA.) Executive Department. Whereas, THOMAS P. FARRAR, of the parish of Orleans, in this State, has applied to me for the cancellation of the following official bonds, to wit:

1. One bond, dated April 27, 1870, drawn by Francis Barnes as principal and the said Thomas P. Farrar as security; and 2. One bond, dated April 25, 1873, drawn by Stephen M. Routh as principal and said Thomas P. Farrar as security. Both bonds conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of said Francis Barnes and Stephen M. Routh, respectively, as public administrators of said parish of Tennessee.

GARDEN SEEDS. JUST RECEIVED. NEW CROP OF TURNIP SEED THIS YEAR'S GROWTH. Also, a full assortment of all SEASONABLE SEEDS, including large late Flat Dutch and Drumhead Cabbage, superior quality. For sale at the NEW SEED STORE, E. BAKER, DEALER IN SEEDS, No. 7 CAMP STREET, NEW ORLEANS.

RESTAURANT. The undersigned begs to inform his friends and the public that he has now in store a large assortment of Bagnages, Elastic Socks for Gentlemen, Ladies and Children, and all kinds of goods, and the special charge of Mrs. VOTIER. Also has a handsome assortment of fine Cutlery. All articles guaranteed. Cleaning and Shagreening on the SPADAS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS. For sale at the NEW SEED STORE.

RESTAURANT. Attached to his Confectionery on Canal street, corner Carondelet, having been refitted, will re-open on TUESDAY, the 16th inst. As heretofore, he will execute orders for Balls, Marriages, Societies and all Receptions, with the best our market affords. N. KUNTZ, corner Canal and Carondelet streets.

RESTAURANT. Having thoroughly repaired my Restaurant, I desire to inform my friends and the public that I will re-open on MONDAY, the 1st of October, and continue the same first class meals, and will receive boarders on moderate terms. Boarders and transient customers may rest assured that my cooking and the attention of my waiters will not be surpassed by any other restaurant in the city. Thankful for the past favors I have received from the public, I will endeavor by a strict attention to my customers to continue to deserve their kind patronage. Private rooms up stairs for private dinners. Orders for Balls and Societies respectfully solicited. E. F. DENECHAUD, Proprietor.

T. A. BECK, COOPERAGE, Office and Saleroom, No. 27 Peters st. Manufacture, Carondelet Walk, between Roman and Priour streets, New Orleans. Has constantly on hand Sugar Hogsheads, Molasses Barrels, Half Barrels, Kegs and Flour Barrels, new and second-hand. Orders for Hoop-poles filled at the lowest market rates. Particular attention paid to trimming. PHILIP HIRSCH, COOPER, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58 and 60 North Peter street. Manufacture—Corner St. Louis and Giro streets, New Orleans. Has for sale choice green Hoghead and Barrel Poles; also, new Sugar Hogsheads, Molasses Barrels, Half Barrels and Kegs, all sizes. Prices moderate. Satisfaction guaranteed. 58 1/2 m d w

RAILROADS. THE NEW ORLEANS AND MOBILE RAILROAD—MOBILE LINE. THE GREAT WESTERN ROUTE TO THE EAST, NORTH AND WEST. Via Louisville, via Atlanta and via St. Louis. TRAINS ARRIVE AND DEPART FROM DEPOT, FOOT OF CANAL STREET, AS FOLLOWS:

Table showing train schedules for the New Orleans and Mobile Railroad, including arrival and departure times for various routes.

THE ATLANTIC COAST LINE. PASSENGER ROUTES TO ALL POINTS NORTH AND EAST. Reorganized for the summer of 1877. Working out of New Orleans via the N. O. and M. & O. lines, and proceeding via the following routes to the attention of all North-bound Tourists and Travelers:

Route No. 1—All Rail. Via Montgomery, Columbus, Macon, Augusta, 63 Hours, with 12 Pullman Sleeping Cars. The same time always by any other line.

Route No. 2—Bay Line. Over the same line to Wilmington as by Route No. 1, and proceeding via the following routes to the attention of all North-bound Tourists and Travelers: Via Montgomery, Columbus, Macon, Augusta, 63 Hours, with 12 Pullman Sleeping Cars. The same time always by any other line.

Route No. 3—The Old Dominion Line. The same line to Wilmington and Portsmouth as by Route No. 1, and proceeding via the following routes to the attention of all North-bound Tourists and Travelers: Via Montgomery, Columbus, Macon, Augusta, 63 Hours, with 12 Pullman Sleeping Cars. The same time always by any other line.

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